

## THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: DOERING et al

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Title:

METHOD AND DEVICE FOR MEASURING THE LIFETIME OF

THE FLUORESCENCE OF FLUOROPHORES IN SAMPLES

Docket Number:

T094 1100

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF RESPONSE TIME SUBMISSION OF EXTENSION FEE FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Official Action mailed on October 30, 2003 for one month from December 30, 2003 to January 30, 2004.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the payment of the required fee(s) or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 09-0528.

Respectfully submitted,

January 29, 2004

Date

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